



Community Development Block Grant Public Services Grant

Local Government Division

Introduction

Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Public Services Grants are awarded to non-entitlement counties throughout Washington State. These funds support partnerships with local community action agencies in conjunction with Community Service Block Grant (CSBG) funds administered by the Department of Community, Trade and Economic Development's Community Services Division. CDBG and CSBG dollars address the root causes of poverty and help poor families and individuals regain or retain self-sufficiency. \$1,660,720 is set aside to award county/community action agency partnerships on a formula basis.

Eligible Activities

CDBG Public Services Grants can fund a wide range of public service activities, including:

- Child Care
- Crime Prevention
- Drug Abuse Prevention
- Education
- Employment
- Energy Conservation
- Fair Housing Counseling
- Health
- Recreational Programs
- Welfare

Eligible Applicants

The 12 non-entitlement counties that have established a subrecipient agreement with their local community action agency are included in the formula allocation.

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Application Process

- Eligible counties and their community action agency subrecipients are invited to apply in the fall, prior to the beginning of the next program year.
- Funding is made on a formula basis as determined to be consistent with the agreements forged with community action agencies by the CSBG Program and approved by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.
- Applicants for formula grants must meet all CDBG submittal requirements before contracts will be fully executed.